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NO STRIKE OF TELEGRAPH OPERATORS

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 30.—A strike of telegraphers on the St. Louis and San Francisco Railroad was averted late this afternoon when the receivers of the road reached an agreement with the grievance committee of the Order of Railway Telegraphers.

The receivers refused tonight to

give out details of the settlement but will make them public when terms are formally drawn up. It was announced, however, that concessions had been made by both sides. The terms probably will be drawn up tomorrow.

The settlement was effected late this afternoon at a conference between W. T. Tyler general manager of the Frisco, and the grievance committee of the telegraphers' union. This conference took place after the receivers and the union committee apparently had reached a deadlock.

The terms of settlement agreed on by the general manager and the committee later were approved by the receivers and the fact that a strike had been averted then was announced.

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ATTORNEY FAVOR NON-PARTISAN JUDGES

Oklahoma City, Ok., Dec. 30.—Adopting a resolution creating a committee to prepare and initiate a constitutional amendment of the election of a nonpartisan judiciary from county judge to supreme court, to provide for nine members of the supreme court instead of five and do away with the present supreme court commission, the Oklahoma Bar Association completed the most important work of the convention this evening and adjourned. Officers for the ensuing year were also elected, as were the executive committee and the general council. The annual banquet was held tonight. The association Monday went on record as favoring the election of a nonpartisan judiciary and to make it possible to install such a system it authorized a committee this evening to do all the necessary work to prepare for the election necessary in amending a constitutional provision. The matter of selecting the next place of meeting was left with the executive committee.

The officers elected are C. O. Blake of El Reno, president; Walter A. Lybrand of Oklahoma City, secretary.

Executive Committee—C. O. Blake, El Reno, chairman; James H. Gordon, McAlester; John H. Kane, Bartlesville; A. T. West, Coalgate; John T. Hays, Hobart; C. H. Ennis, Pawnee; W. H. Kornegay, Vinita; Walter A. Lybrand, Oklahoma City.

General Council—W. T. Hutchins, Muskogee, chairman; Herbert M. Peck, Oklahoma City; T. P. Clay, Mangum; W. E. Utterback, Durant; C. G. Moore, Purcell; W. H. Fuller, McAlester; Paul B. Mason, Pawhuska.

SOCIALISTS PLAN ACTIVE CAMPAIGN

Oklahoma City, Dec. 31.—The Socialist party of Oklahoma in annual convention at the courthouse Tuesday went on record as favoring the sending of a "circuit rider" into every county in the state to preach the gospel of Socialism to every creature. A "circuit rider," as defined by a Socialist upon the floor of the convention, is an organizer, one who goes to every corner of the county to organize branches of the state and national organization. One "circuit rider" is to be placed in each county in Oklahoma during the year 1914. These "riders" will be paid a salary for their efforts, a new departure from former practices of the party in Oklahoma.

A resolution embodying the above plan was unanimously adopted Tuesday morning, following a report of State Secretary H. M. Sinclair. The secretary's report shows that the state party organization is free of debt and with money in the treasury; that the dues-paying membership has increased 1,000 during the last three months of the year; that 150 new locals have been organized in Oklahoma during 1913; that the political organization of the party to conform to the state laws has been perfected in three-fourths of the counties; that only nine teen counties were not organized at the close of the year, and that the sale of Socialist literature and the demands for speakers throughout Oklahoma during the year has been unprecedented. The secretary in his report made a prediction, based upon statements from forty field workers, that the Socialist party would poll 80,000 votes in the 1913 state election.

The convention passed resolutions of sympathy for the sufferers of the Calumet, Mich., disaster on Christmas eve, and appropriated \$50 for the children of the strikers of that city.

Test Well Near Hugo

Hugo, Ok., Dec. 30.—A test well is being put down three miles east of this city with the view of finding either oil or gas. The enterprise is backed by local capital, also some foreign. The derrick has been erected, and the drill at this date is down 150 feet, and will be operated day and night.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Woodman Circle Friday afternoon at 2:30. All members are urged to be present 2:27-28.

WANTED—40 laborers at Cement Plant. Steady work. Oklahoma Portland Cement Co.

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INSURGENTS VICTORIOUS

MEXICAN FEDERALS MAY BE
DRIVEN ACROSS RIO GRANDE
BORDER CLOSELY GUARDED.

Presidio, Tex., Dec. 30.—The battle between 5,000 insurgents under Gen. Toribio Ortega and the northern division of the Mexican Federal Army, entrenched around Ojinaga, Mexico, across the border from this place, still was in progress when darkness fell tonight. No bullets came across the border. The forces had been engaged for thirty-six hours and many had been killed and wounded.

Gen. Ortega, executing a series of flank movements, steadily kept on the offensive, gaining foot by foot the approaches to the federal stronghold. The federal forces, crippled and disorganized by the first onslaught, clung to the hillside trenches where their leaders had decided to make a last stand. They rallied somewhat from the panic that seized many of them with

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the first volley of the insurgents when daylight disclosed the position of Ortega's men, and put up a plucky fight with heavy odds, and their losses were heavy from wounds and desertions. Many wounded and deserters waded waist deep through the river to the American side.

It was impossible to even approximate the number of dead and wounded fifteen federal wounded, who waded the river, were allowed to remain, and were cared for by United States Army physicians, but several score unbound federal deserters were disarmed by the United States border patrol under Major McNames and sent back across the border.

Army officers were convinced casualties had been heavy and Red Cross representatives sent requests for more help and hospital supplies. They also requested permission to cross the border to attend the wounded on the battlefield. Neither of the opposing forces is provided with hospital facilities, and the wounded have been left on the hill sides where they fell.

Although 5,000 insurgents were engaged, much of their fire was ineffective in the early hours of the battle because of the position they occupied below the village.

Ojinaga, a cluster of adobe buildings, stands a mile from the border at the top of high hills which line the valley through which the insurgents advanced. When day dawned, Ortega's men had gained the foot of a hill three miles from the village, where the federales had planted a fort to command approaches to the town. They spread along the hillside and opened a fire which was maintained all day and which was supported by ten machine guns they had dragged across the desert from Chihuahua.

Foot by foot the insurgents approached the federal trenches the government troops retiring until darkness fell all federales who had not fled were huddled in the shelter of the town itself.

A small federal force made a gallant stand in the custom house, which stands on an elevation midway between the village proper and the plain. They fired a hail of bullets across the main approach to the town and for a time held the opposing forces in check. As the day wore on, however, the sputtering fire from the loopholes of the custom house gradually diminished and finally ceased entirely. When their last cartridge had been fired the little handful of federales deserted the building and scurried across the mile and a half separating them from their comrades in the town. Their retreat gave the insurgents an additional advantage of position.

Although the insurgents tonight appeared to have much advantage, the outcome of the struggle was not clearly defined. That the federales will surrender is improbable, because Gen. Ortega has explicit orders to execute the so-called volunteers and their commanders, Gen. Pascoal Orozco, Yanez, Salazar, Antonio Rojas, Bias Orpinas, Lazaro Alanis and Rouque Gomez. Eighteen hundred volunteers also come

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25 per cent off on any Suit or Overcoat in Stock.

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STATE TEACHERS ELECT OFFICERS

Tulsa, Okla., Dec. 31.—In an exciting stormy election, Prof. J. C. Masters, principal of the Oklahoma City high school, Tuesday afternoon was elected president of the Oklahoma Educational association for the next year succeeding Dr. Stratton D. Brooks of the state university. Before all the officers had been selected the session became so stormy that Dr. Brooks, who was presiding, rapped for order and announced the work would be concluded at the next general meeting Wednesday morning. Delegates were standing in their chairs shouting in an effort to be heard above the confusion.

The other officers elected at the session Tuesday afternoon were Edwin S. Monroe, Muskogee, vice president; Robert Balyew, Enid, secretary-treasurer. Wednesday morning the member of the executive committee succeeding the member whose term has expired will be designated. The fact that the officers this year were elected by the new method of nominating and balloting on the floor of the convention was responsible for the confusion and excitement attending the election.

In the past the officers were named by an electoral commission, the members of which were chosen by the various county educational organizations.

With several others, Mr. Masters of Oklahoma City and Mr. Monroe of Muskogee were nominated for the office of president. On the first ballot all candidates were eliminated save the two having the greatest number of votes. Mr. Masters then was elected over his opponent by a substantial majority and on motion of Monroe supporter the election was declared unanimous.

Mr. Monroe was elected vice president by unanimous vote. It was after Mr. Balyew had been elected secretary-treasurer that the trouble started.

A supporter of James B. Freyshur of Wetumka, his closest opponent

It is not to be wondered at the lax law enforcement. A sheriff lays out at night in the cold rain or snow to catch a law violator. Then some cheap politician up along the line decides he should be merciful and the detective work, the efforts of the county attorney and witnesses go naught. Do you wonder at them swearing? In order to appreciate this you go out a few nights and watch where you were in

danger every minute of having your head shot off and come dragging in a load of bootleggers about daylight-hungry, cold and sleepy. Then those who never left a bed go to work diligently to defeat your cases—Arapaho Bee.

To whom it may concern: Whatever others may be doing, our business office will gladly receive washed money—Tulsa World.

We should worry. This office goes still farther and is as ready to take in unwashed and tainted money as the washed kind. We have noticed that the number of germs inhabiting a bill does not detract from its purchasing power in the least.

The uses of the parcel post are beginning to extend in various ways. Today L. J. Little received an order to send a sack of meal and pair of over shoes by parcel post to a man at Franks who was unable to come to town because of the bad roads.

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Guthrie—While sitting before an open gas stove working on her wedding trousseau, Miss Lela Allen's clothing ignited from the flames and she was burned to death before assistance could reach her. The accident occurred at Drumright, the center of the Cushing oil field.

Bartlesville—Charging that Mrs. McCova Millard, his wife from whom he is estranged, sold their home without his consent, C. C. Millard filed suit for divorce in the district court Monday. The wife is living in Kansas City. Christmas night Millard's 16-year-old son attempted to take his father's life by administering chloroform, but was awakened in time to save his life. The son agreed to leave the state for good if the charges against him were not pressed.

Guthrie—Under the recent orders from Washington providing for additional officers for the National Guards Captain Harry B. Gilstrap of Chandler, William Green of Muskogee, and Victor M. Locke of Antlers, the latter being head of the only Indian military company in the United States, have been promoted to majors. Locke is also governor-chief of the Choctaw tribe of Indians.

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THIS DATE IN HISTORY
December 31

1620—The Pilgrims held the first Sabbath observance in their settlement at Plymouth.

1775—Gen. Montgomery killed while leading an unsuccessful assault of an American force against Quebec.

1781—Congress chartered the Bank of North America.

1829—Gen. Guerrero resigned the presidency of Mexico.

1882—Leon Gambetta, former Dictator of France, died. Born April 2, 1838.

1883—Horatio Allen, who ran the first railroad locomotive in America, died in New Jersey. Born in 1802.

J. D. Rind in Coal business to stay with full supply. Office with Star-Democrat. Phone 139. 210-1f

Barnes-Senk

This afternoon at the court house, Justice Brown officiated at the marriage of Mr. Velsor Barnes and Miss Ocea Seal, both of Sasakwa.

Oil and gas leases on sale at the News office.

LODGE DIRECTORY

A. F. & A. M.

Regular meeting of Ada Lodge No. 119, Saturday night on or before the full moon in each month.

M. LEVIN, W. M.
F. C. SIMS, Secy.

R. A. M.

Ada Chapter No. 26, Royal Arch Masons, meets the second Tuesday night in each month.

LEE DAGGS, H. P.
F. C. SIMS, Secy.

K. T. M.

Ada Commandery No. 16 Knights Templar Masons meets the third Friday of each month.

E. A. MACMILLAN, E. C.
F. C. SIMS, Recorder.

B. P. O. E. NO. 1275.

Regular meeting second and fourth Mondays in each month.

W. S. MORRISON, H. R.
B. M. BOBBITT, Secy.

W. O. W.

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W. B. JONES, Clerk.

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E. Chapman, Jesse, 19;
J. A. Price, Ada, 21; Clara Hefflin,
Ada, 20;
T. D. Young, Ada, 21; May Emerson,
Ada, 18;
T. M. Mitchell, Francis, 28; Lora
Serroggins, Francis, 28;
W. D. Strickland, Civet, 20; Vannie
Crowder, Roff, 19;

Floyd South, Ada, 21; Marie West-
brook, Ada, 19.

Ivus Lindsey, Madill, 19; Cordelia
Ragland, Oakman, 18.

Lee Dodgin, Ada, 32; May Simpson,
Center, 22.

H. M. McClelland, Roff, 26; Bertha
Ginn, Roff, 21.

Thad Harrison, Steedman, 25; Ethel
Tucker, Clira, 19.

Jim Campbell, Roff, 22; Anna Gath-
ey, Roff, 20.

W. O. Morris, Ada, 29; Maud Shel-
ton, Ada, 19.

Velsor Barnes, Sasakwa, 21; Ogeo
Seal, Sasakwa, 19.

ELECTRIC LIGHT OFFICE

MOVED TO NEW QUARTERS

The Ada Electric and Gas Co. is moving its office from West Main street to South Broadway, three doors north of the News office, where the building has been fitted up especially for the occupancy of the company. John Gardner will also move his insurance office to the same place.

There is a peculiar person on the staff of some of the Japanese newspapers known as the "dummy editor" whose sole duty it is to go to jail in the interests of the journal. Whenever a paper publishes something unfriendly to the government it is suppressed and the "dummy editor" sent to prison, while the real editor simply changes the name of the paper and continues to publish it as before.

MOOSE BALL THIS EVENING.

The annual ball of the Moose lodge will be held this evening. All members and their families cordially invited to be present. COMMITTEE

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No More Railroad Passes in Illinois.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 31.—All of the railroads doing business in Illinois will tomorrow abolish the pass privilege, except as it applies to their employees. This is in compliance with a stringent provision in the new Public Utilities act. Another provision of the same act forbids individuals and corporations from attempting to secure service from the railroads at less than the scheduled rates.

The high school basket ball team (boys) will play at Coalgate Thursday evening.

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Adv.

FALL FROM HOUSE KILLS HIM.

Chickasha, Okla., Dec. 29.—Charles D. H. Condon of this city, is dead as the result of a fall from the top of his house. Condon climbed to the roof to clean off the dust and was taken with a fainting spell. He fell to the ground a distance of twenty feet, and his neck was broken. Condon was 50 years old and foreman of the bridge construction gang of the Rock Island railroad at this point.

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City News

Hon. W. M. Franklin of Madill was in the city this morning.

Rev. T. P. Turner was a passenger to Madill this morning.

Wes Hattox of Fitzhugh was in the city today en route from Oklahoma City.

Mines. McClintock and C. W. Zorn left this morning on a visit to Denver.

J. A. Elder of Sunset, Tex., is here on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. H. J. Landers.

Mrs. J. C. Jones and daughter, Pauline, returned this morning from an extended stay in Texas.

Girls see those toy machines at the Singer office. THE VERY Xmas present. 219-12d

Mrs. Carlton Weaver left this morning for Wilburton where Mr. Weaver has purchased a paper and will reside.

P. B. Wilson, the lumber man, who was here looking after his business interests, left this morning for Okeechobee.

Attorney Roscoe Arnold and wife left on the South bound Katy to attend sick relatives and shoot some quail and duck in the southeast part of the state.

After being kept at home a day on account of threatened illness, T. P. Holt, was able to be out and around today.

The rain of Tuesday night did not find a very cordial welcome. With the roads already in about as bad a condition as could well be, the late rain was the last thing needed.

J. P. Hivick, an oil man of Tulsa, who has an interest in the Hercules Corporation of Ada, was in the city today looking after matters connected with his company.

H. P. Reich, who has been employed in a bank at McAlester for some months, has returned to Ada and is back at his old place in the M. & P.

MARY PICKFORD IN "CAPRICE"

Fully up to the standard of the best Famous Players' Film company attractions, in the united judgment of hundreds of persons who witnessed Monday the presentation of the photoplay, "Caprice" with "Little" Mary Pickford, at the Empress theater. The four reel rural comedy will be shown again Tuesday matinee and night. In spite of the bad weather the theater was crowded all day Monday. The management is preparing to take care of more today, if they do not all come at once. The work of Miss Pickford is positively wonderful, her impersonations and changes in character throughout being capable of production by no one except herself.—Daily Woman.



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—N. Y. Morning Telegraph

If you would see a delightful picture, go see Miss Pickford in "CAPRICE"
—N. Y. Herald

She is just the age for the part and her interpretation of the difficult part should prove most pleasing.

—St. Louis Republic

PRICES 10 AND 20 CENTS

The De Sota has a varied program for this evening consisting of the society-detective drama "The Reformation," in which Anna Little is the star. "The Spartan Girl of the West" is a snappy western drama, and then comes the Reliance drama, "A Rough Diamond."

Senator Gore Goes Home

Vinita, Okla., Dec. 30.—Senator Thomas P. Gore passed through here yesterday over the Frisco on his way from Washington to his home at Lawton. Congressman Davenport and other friends met him at the train and chatted a half hour while the train crew and passengers took dinner.

The Majestic this evening will present the great four-part comedy-drama "Caprice," which is another of the famous player series produced under the direction of Daniel Frohman. Mary Pickford is the star in this wonderful play. This fact alone is a guarantee that the play is one of the finest on the stage.

Get wise—read today's West Ada

W. W. Rader left this morning for Wynnewood to attend the celebration of his father's eighty-second birthday, which will be in the nature of a reunion of the ten children. The mother of 78 years of age, and all of the children are living.

A number of subscribers have promised to settle their subscriptions at the first of the year. This date is now at hand and a settlement will be greatly appreciated. Payments may be made either to Mike Cassidy, the collector, or in the office.

SHADE TREES
If you want some good shade trees, such as forest trees, write J. C. RAY, Ada, Okla. Will make lower prices than last year.

OIL REPORT EXAGGERATED

From the Oklahoman.

Allen—The first reports of the well in section 32-6-10, seven miles due south of Calvin and eight miles due east of Allen were, as usual, greatly exaggerated. The well is now reported to be between 1,700 and 1,800 feet deep with oil showing.

"The Raid of the Human Tigers," a fine three-reel feature, featuring Wm. Clifford and Phyllis Gordon, will be the program at the Grand this evening. Scenes laid in the wilds of India. The battle for life by a man who is chased into a pool inhabited by alligators is the most thrilling picture ever made.

H. P. Sugg, who has held a responsible position with the First National bank for several years, left this morning for Fitzhugh, where he will for several months, at least, hold a position in the bank of that place. Ada has no finer young man than Mr. Sugg and it is with deep regret that his hundreds of friends see him leave. However, the best wishes of all of them go with him.

LOST—Black silk neck scarf, Xmas night on Townsend avenue, between Fourteenth and Main street. Return to News office and receive reward.

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(Adv.)

One of the finest treats that has come this way lately was a bottle of grape juice presented to the News this morning by A. C. Woodyard, who has secured the state agency for it. The juice has a delightful taste that would please anybody and will meet with a ready sale everywhere.

DECEMBER RAINFALL OVER 5 INCHES

H. P. Sugg, local weather observer, states that the rainfall at Ada for the month of December has been 5 12-100 inches. In a few days he will have the figures complete for the year and they will then be published.



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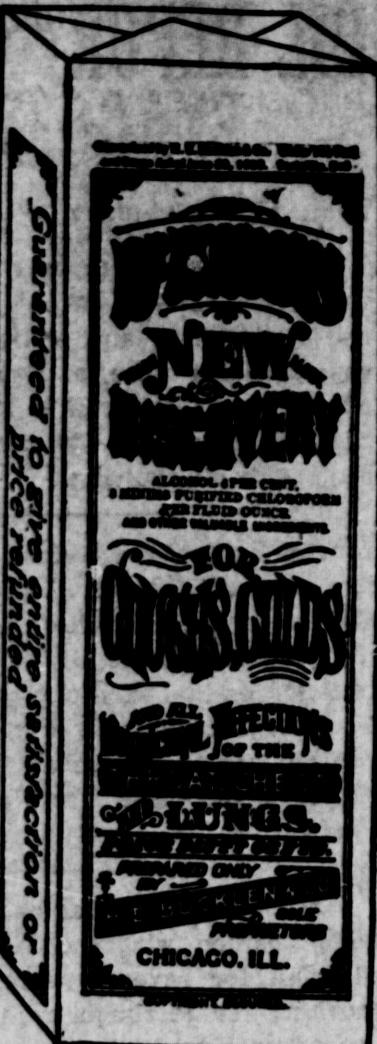
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Following the program we will spend an hour in getting better acquainted—shall we call it a "Good Fellowship Meeting"—interspersed with music and refreshments.

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(Adv.)

GOSSIP AROUND THE NATIONAL CAPITAL

Washington, Dec. 31.—Despite opposition manifest by state universities in many sections of the country, Oklahoma included, to the Smith-Lever agricultural extension bill introduced at the last session of congress, it is a practically a certainty that the measure will be given the official sanction of congress when sessions are resumed after the holidays.

The Senate Committee on Agriculture of which Senator Gore is chairman has reported the measure which would extend federal aid to all agricultural and mechanical colleges desiring it. By this, national legislators believe that the cause of better and more scientific agriculture in this country would be promoted as never before in the history of the country, and in this day when it is recognized that the future of the nation rests with the farmer who is to supply the breadstuffs it is necessary that there be marked advance in modern methods of tilling the soil.

A bill establishing a rural credits system in the U. S. also is to be acted upon and this measure is expected to follow much the lines of European systems, the federal commission of which Senator Gore was a member having reported fully on foreign schemes of aiding the agriculturist.

Senator Gore has several measures in mind which are intended to further enhance the welfare of the farmer and swing to the strong sentiment in congress and the nation, favorable action on the majority of these is expected.

Practically all members of the Oklahoma delegation in congress have remained in Washington for the holidays, shaping plans for their activities during the remainder of the regular session. Many measures of interest to the state are to be instigated by them when the regular session resumes, they having deemed it practically impossible to gain much legislation before Christmas, the currency and other big issues hanging fire.

Shortly after the house convenes in January the general Indian appropriation bill will be reported from com-

mittee. Owing to the amount of appropriations yearly carried in this measure for the state of Oklahoma, it is deemed the most important from the state's standpoint and every member of the delegation will be on guard to see that each district in the state is properly cared for. Representative Carter who is ranking member of the House Indian Affairs committee has spent the Christmas holidays with other members of the committee in going over the provisions of the measure, cutting appropriations here and adding there.

Oklahoma has had more say in the framing of the new currency measure than any other state in the union, having two members of the committees drafting the measure which now is receiving the plaudits of the country. Senator Owen chairman of the banking and currency committee representing the state on the senate side and Representative Claude Weaver representing it on the house side. Both Oklahomans witnessed the signing of the measure by President Wilson, as did several other members of the delegation.

It having been estimated by the secretary of the Treasury that only \$250,000 be set aside for the maintenance of the schools in the domain of the five civilized tribes, and it being the intention of the House Committee not to increase this amount beyond \$300,000, if at all, Senator Gore has introduced an amendment to the general Indian appropriation bill calling for the appropriation of \$500,000 for this purpose.

In view of conditions reigning on the eastern side of the state, many counties being in dire financial straits Senator Gore believes that the federal government should render aid commensurate to the hardships worked by the supreme court decision making hundreds of thousands of acres of land untaxable.

In addition to asking for the increased amount, Senator Gore also has introduced an amendment providing that the schools under the jurisdiction of the Quapaw agency shall share in the amount set aside in the bill. These schools never have been aided before.

Geo. A. Henshaw still has a fighting chance to be made a member of the Interstate Commerce Commission, although his candidacy has faded somewhat in the past few days, inasmuch as it is the expressed wish of the White House to find some man for the place on the Pacific coast. The Pacific coast states are not now represented on the commission. Senator Gore, Senator Owen, and every member of the Oklahoma delegation, have urged the president to name Henshaw, Senator Gore who seems to have the administration's ear on patronage matters, being particularly active in regard to the matter. Commissioner Clements represents the middle west on the commission and if President Wilson changes his mind and decides to take a man from the central west instead of the Pacific coast, Henshaw may be named, it being conceded that the third commissioner will be picked from the West.

Department of Interior officials still are working on tangible plans for the inauguration of the irrigation system at Lawton where the city has agreed to turn over its huge water system to the government for irrigation purposes. Senator J. Elmer Thomas has remained at the side of the Secretary of Interior and reclamation officials to explain all features of the proposed system.

It is generally conceded that if the state can obtain the government's aid in installing an irrigation plant at Lawton, then other proposed systems are more likely to be inaugurated.

Notwithstanding the fact that the amendment providing for a \$100 per capita payment to the Choctaws and Chickasaw Indians of Oklahoma was stricken out of the last general Indian appropriation bill on a point of order, Senator Gore will resume his fight for the payment when the bill comes up in the senate for consideration, he having already introduced a bill on the subject.

Any payment to the Choctaws has been contested in both houses of congress because of the claims of the Mississippi Choctaws to a share in the tribal estate of the Oklahoma Indians, but, inasmuch as the department of interior has given the Mississippi Choctaws no encouragement in their claims, it is deemed likely the fight on further per capita payments to its Oklahoma Indians will cease. Senator Gore has fortified himself to make the fight of his life for the payments and is sure to have the assistance of Senator Owen and Oklahoma representatives on the house side of the capitol.

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Stopping one's paper because he is mad at the editor is just about as childish as taking a spoiled youngster out of school to spite the teacher. In both cases the result is the same: the paper and school still go on and the only one to lose anything is the one who sought to play even- even.

The Ada News says: "The name of our town may sound somewhat effeminate, but from a standpoint of commercial importance Ada is a full-grown man with whiskers and high-top boots." A populist, by all that's holy!—Ardmoreite.

GOVERNMENT BY FALSEHOOD.

The last legislature passed a law regulating the mining of coal in Oklahoma. The law contains numerous sections, one of which—Sec. 18—regulates the shooting of coal. It provides that coal shall not be shot "off the solid"—that it shall be undercut before being shot. The miners object to this provision and have filed petitions having this section referred to a vote of the people on August 5th. Only one section is referred and the only question is "Shall section 18 be repealed?"

Some power armed with a barrel of money has begun a widespread and determined campaign against the aforesaid section. Very generously they offer any newspaper who will accept the gift free plate matter opposing the repeal. It costs the papers nothing. It is furnished free. And quite a number of papers have accepted the service and are running columns of this "free" dope. And every paper that is running this matter is publishing columns that fairly bristle with the boldest falsehoods.

We have before us the advance proofs of the free argument. It declares that the people are to vote on repealing the entire bill. Lie Number One. It declares that it seeks to abolish miners' bath houses, that it seeks to abolish separate bath houses for negro miners, that it abolishes telephones in mines, that it abolishes the or tagging of cars in the mines, that promises made by either side.

It abolishes the provision naming the qualifications of Chief Mine Inspector, that it abolishes the penalty for interfering with a fire pass, and that it repeals the provision forbidding the shooting of coal off the solid.

The last statement is the only true one in the entire argument. The others are patent lies. The man who wrote them knew they were lies. The men who paid for this free service knew they were paying for lies. But they knew it is only three weeks till the election. They knew that the poison will be so scattered that it will be impossible to answer it or expose its falsity. The miners haven't the men or the money to combat this campaign of imposture. It looks as if their cause has already been lied to death.

As to the merits of section 18, we know very little. None but a miner can understand it as it is. But we are inclined to believe that no cause can be just that resorts to such criminal tactics as are being employed by those who oppose the repeal of section 18.—Wewoka Democrat.

Would Prevent Divorce.

Canton, O., July 19.—The holy bond of matrimony will not be the only bond that joins Miss Elizabeth Boldi of Canton, and Casian Bartt, Jr., of Youngstown, when they are wed tomorrow. To insure the wedded bliss of the young couple an iron-clad agreement, backed by bonds pledging a \$700 farm and \$700 cash, has been put up by the father of the prospective bride and bridegroom. The young people themselves have no doubt that their marriage will prove a happy one. They have sworn eternal love to one another and declare that the agreement and bonds are entirely superfluous, but the old folk, noting the increase of the divorce evil, decided to do all they could in a legal way to make the marriage stick so tight that it can never become unknotted. By the terms of the agreement the bridegroom's father promises that his son will never loaf, gamble, drink, play pool or dance with any young woman other than his wife. The bride's father, on the other hand, promises that his daughter will make her husband a model wife, will not gossip, run around with other men and will cook to the husband's satisfaction. A forfeiture of the \$700 bond is to follow a violation of the or tagging of cars in the mines, that promises made by either side.

It was dusk when he had left the train, the only passenger to alight at the dingy little station.

"Back home?" the venerable station master drawled.

"Yes, for the first time in ten years, Jim," the young man answered.

"Ain't nobody to meet you," said the official with a yawn.

"They don't know I've come," the traveler explained. "It's a surprise."

"Uh-huh," was the only acknowledgment the station-master gave as he picked up the mail-bag.

And now the young man was walking briskly up Main street on his way toward the old home.

"The Perkins block is still standing," he said as he looked up at a three-story, dilapidated brick building, "and I predicted ten years ago that the ramshackle old place would fall down before another winter."

He looked across the road.

"Upon my word I don't believe they've painted old Calvary Church since I left home, and there was an

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF ADA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Financial Statement of School District No. 19, or Board of Education of the City of Ada, County of Pontotoc and State of Oklahoma, for Fiscal Year beginning July 1st, 1912, and ending June 30th, 1913; and estimated needs for current expenses for the Fiscal Year beginning July 1st, 1913 and ending June 30th, 1914.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

ASSETS:

1 Cash on hand June 30th, 1912.....	\$ 1,412.92
2 Taxes in process of collection for Fiscal Year ending June 30th, 1913.....	11,170.85
3 Total Assets.....	\$12,583.77

LIABILITIES:

4 Unexpended balance of approved estimate for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1913.....	37.10
5 Warrants outstanding June 30th, 1913.....	11,118.86
6 Total Liabilities.....	\$11,613.56
7 Unexpended balance—assets over liabilities to be entered in estimate.....	970.21

ESTIMATED NEEDS:

1 For salary of 31 teachers.....	\$18,550.00
2 For repairs.....	200.00
3 For fuel.....	900.00
4 For Library and school apparatus.....	400.00
5 For Janitors and labor.....	1,550.00
6 For furniture and supplies.....	300.00
7 Clerks' salary, treasurer's services enumeration and phones.....	434.00
10 Printing and blanks.....	100.00
11 Incidentals.....	300.00
12 Total estimated needs.....	\$22,734.00

Estimated amount that will be received from the following sources:

13 From state apportionment.....	2,954.00
14 Common school fund.....	869.00
15 Tuition and other sources.....	115.00
16 Available unexpended balance—Assets in excess of liabilities applicable against estimate as shown in summary of financial statement.....	970.21

Total amount estimated to be received from sources other than tax levy..... 4,908.21

Balance to be raised by tax levy..... 17,825.79

Given under our hands and the seal of the Board of Education of the City of Ada, (School District No. 19, of Pontotoc County, Oklahoma) this 7th day of July, A. D., 1913.

L. T. WALTERS, President,
D. W. SWAFFAR, Clerk.

MAKING OVER MAYBRIDGE

HOW ENERGETIC YOUNG MAN INFUSED NEW LIFE IN SLEEPING COMMUNITY.

agitation then to paint it."

At the next corner he stopped for several minutes to look into the windows of the hardware store. A smile of mingled pathos and humor crept over his face.

"I don't believe Father has changed the windows since I saw them last," he said. "There's the old farm implement picture on the side wall; there's the same old pyramid of paint cans, and I suppose that tray of jack-knives is the one he bought in 1900."

He turned the corner and walked up the side street, making comments as he went.

"Bill Graves' fence looks a few pickets more shy than it used to; the vacant lot at the corner of Center street continue to be the main depository of rubbish, and Hiram Jenkins' barn is still waiting for its first coat of paint. The song is wrong," he murmured again, "The old home's just what it used to be."

Then his gaze turned across the street in the direction of a pretty park.

"I've been a little harsh," he said. "There isn't a more attractive town anywhere than Maybridge would be if the few rusty spots could only be brightened up. There's Grace Park with its fine old trees and pretty flower gardens; there's the Spencer home with its magnificent grounds, and there's the row of fine old residences along Elm street. Why, Maybridge has all the essentials of an ideal town, but it sure does need a little making over."

Then the young man's thoughts turned to the dear ones he was about to surprise, and a few moments later there was a fond greeting in the old homestead.

Ten years before George Hollister, then out of his teens, had left Maybridge to make his way in a large Western city. Starting with a small position, the income of which barely kept him alive, he had risen rapidly. Each year he wrote home that at the first opportunity he would return for a visit. But new and greater responsibilities forced him to defer the home-going until a decade had slipped by. His last advancement had made George's time his own, and without warning he had quietly returned to surprise and delight his parents and younger sister.

Renewing acquaintances occupied the larger part of the next day, and in the evening his proud father took him to the monthly meeting of the Men's Club of Cavalry Church.

After a long drawn out and uninteresting talk on foreign missions by a visiting minister, the president of the club, Josiah Stubbs, arose and said:

"It's been a pleasure for many of us tonight to meet again Sam Hollister's boy, George. George has been workin' in a big city for some time, and I'm going to ask him to tell us how it seems to get back to good old Maybridge. Mr. Hollister, will you 'lige us?"

And then he abruptly changed the subject.

"I've always felt," he said, "that I would like to do something for Maybridge. I haven't prospered to the

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Ezra Galpin.
"I'd formulate a set of rules," replied George, "and I'd ask every resident to co-operate in seeing these rules enforced."

James Dunkle, the town's oldest lawyer, arose.

"I move, Mr. President," he said, "that a committee be appointed to look into this matter and report at the next monthly meeting."

"Pardon me for interrupting," put in George, "but I will only be here a month, and in order to make my service effective, the campaign should be commenced at once."

(Continued Tomorrow.)

HER CONSCIENCE WAS HURTING HER

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Maude Fealy in "King Rene's Daughter"

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Yandell Lane returned Saturday night from Oklahoma City. He spent two days in the city and reports having a very good time.

W. H. Wheeler and wife, at one time residents of Ada and later of Center, are in the city. They now live at Elmore, Garvin county.

Rev. C. L. Brooks and several others are at Sulphur attending the Epworth League encampment. It is supposed that all is enjoying themselves and getting plenty of benefit from their stay there.

R. W. Simpson and wife left this morning for New York via Galveston. Mr. Simpson is improving some and it is to be hoped that the trip will completely restore him to his usual health. They will remain away from Ada for several weeks.

Tuesday's issue of the News will contain quite a little information about the clean town contest. One good article was received this afternoon but being a trifle lengthy was too late for publication today.

This evening the Airdome will present two fine pictures. The first will be The Comedian's Mask, a two-reel feature in which King Bagot is the star. The Spider, is a Japanese drama played by real Japs. Coming next Monday: Bunyan's Pilgrim's Progress, a great four-reel picture.

"The Seal of Silence" is a thrilling drama of both the East and West. It shows a strike in which a riot and burning of the factory are striking incidents. The central figure is a man unjustly arrested and imprisoned and the chain of circumstances through which he is united with his family years later. De Sota theatre.

BUSY TIMES WITH THE OFFICERS

Sunday night a party composed of Chief Cal Bolin, Deputy Sheriffs R. C. Duncan and Eli Morris and County Attorney Roland made a raid on a house on East Main street in which they captured five gallons of corn whiskey. They also arrested Sol Driver and Jess Powell in connection with the case.

C. W. Walker was arrested Sunday on a charge of forgery. G. H. Humphrey of near Bebe was arrested this morning on a charge of rape.

C. D. Tanner returned this morning from a trip to Shawnee.

J. W. Davis and wife were passengers to Roff this morning.

Prof. T. F. Pierce was a passenger to Stonewall this morning.

Miss Una Spencer of Roff, is at present visiting her friend, Willie Dee Kennedy at 13th and Rennie.

Miles Grigsby of the News force was unable to be at his post today on account of illness.

Mrs. Leslie Maxey is suffering from an attack of what is thought to be typhoid fever.

D. A. Dorsey, proprietor of the Dorsey Barber shop, went to Holdenville Sunday.

T. A. Milstead, demonstration agent for Hughes county, was an Ada visitor Sunday.

Ben Fulks and Charles Rice of Wetumka, who visited in Ada Sunday, returned home this morning.

Miss Bird Prewett returned this morning from a visit to home folks at Ardmore.

J. P. Pool left this morning for Sulphur where he will spend a week recuperating.

W. S. Duncan and Mrs. Lula Wiseman of Oklahoma City are visiting their sister, Mrs. C. H. Stone.

STOP! THINK!

Get a good haircut at Dick Williams' Barber Shop for same money you may pay for a bad one elsewhere. Hot and cold baths. Come and see.

Jim Ferguson who is well known in Ada, is reported quite ill at the home of his brother, John Ferguson, at Pickett.

Misses Beulah Nelson and Neva Kennon left Saturday to visit the former's father J. D. Duman at his ranch south of Roff.

Vernon Yaantz, one of our most popular barbers, left yesterday to visit someone at Madill. His Ada friends hope he will remember to return some time in the near future.

COMMITTEES MAKE REPORT OF CONTEST

A meeting of the various committees in the clean town contest was held at the city hall Sunday afternoon and a report was had from each. All committees reported more or less progress and all seemed encouraged with the reception they had met from the citizens.

To handle the work more expeditiously it was suggested that a general chairman of all the committees should be elected. Rev. M. B. Molloy was unanimously elected as the leader. The committees will continue their work this week and good results are expected all along the line.

Heavy Rain From Hickory South.
R. M. Roddie, who returned from the Sulphur encampment this morning, reports that a heavy rain fell Sunday from Hickory southward. This morning considerable water was standing in the ditches at Scullin. Only a light shower fell at Sulphur.

MEETING IN PROGRESS AT CITY PARK

Evangelist Nelson began his meeting at the church of Christ in North Ada Saturday night and has met with no little encouragement. The meeting will be moved tonight to the pavilion in the city park and continued until further notice. The park will be a splendid place for it as that is about the coolest spot to be found anywhere just now. The evening services begin promptly at 8:15.

Inch of Rain at Ardmore.
Ardmore, Okla., July 20.—Following a temperature of 107° Saturday, showers fell all night and nearly an inch of rain fell Sunday. Crops will be greatly benefited.

DAGGS CASE STILL ON TRIAL

The day in district court has been devoted to the Wallace Daggs case, which has proved rather lengthy, and it is probable that it will not be given to the jury until sometime Tuesday, although if a night session is held it may be that it can be concluded then.

Home for Cats.

Spokane, Wash., July 21.—Plans are being prepared by the Spokane Humane society for an elaborate cat house which, when completed in such details as sun porches and promenade for felines, will be the most unique and convenient cat domicile in the Pacific Northwest. Preliminary drawings already drawn will be supplemented by suggestions to be made following a trip by F. H. Holman, president of the society, to inspect the largest model cat house in the United States, located in New York city. With this haven the society will be able to turn a few pennies by taking in cats to board and lodge. In connection with the institution, a complete surgical ward is being built for both cats and dogs. The new cat house will be 26 feet long by 17 feet wide, and will accommodate between 50 and 100 of the pets.

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language of excess. They are either madmen or charlatans. Those unbalanced people receive few impressions, but they are tremendously strong, and each one tries to outdo the other in startling statements.

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ONCE ADORNED VIKING BELLE

Bracelet of Gold, 1,000 Years Old, Recently Found in One of the Shetland Islands.

A 1,000-year-old bracelet was found by a boy on the island of Oxna, Shetland, recently. Mr. Gilbert Goudie, at the monthly meeting of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland, held in the museum, Edinburgh, told the interesting story of the bracelet, which has been acquired by the museum. Mr. Goudie related how the bracelet had come to light on a bare spot which had been scalped over and over again to provide extra soil for adjacent cultivation, and by its glitter in the sunlight had attracted the attention of the boy playing near. It is of solid gold, 2½ inches in width in interior diameter at its greatest width, and it weighs 964 grains troy. It is formed of four strands of metal finely polished, and interlaced in a continuous circular chain. In workmanship it compares with certain armlets and necklets of silver, part of a hoard of objects found in 1858 at Skail, in Orkney, but otherwise it is unique as being the only object of gold of this intertwined pattern that is so far known to have been found in the country, though a very limited number are preserved in the archaeological collections of Sweden, Norway and Denmark. As a product of the late iron age of the Viking times, the date of its manufacture may be between 800 and 1000 A. D.

DOCTOR NOTES NEW AILMENT

Has Named It "Superlativism"—Really Is the Latest Form of Insanity.

Do you like to stretch a story you hear so it will be a bit more interesting for the next person that comes along? Do you exaggerate everything for effect? Then you have the latest form of insanity—superlativism.

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CONDITION OF COTTON

CROP JULY 18

By J. B. Turner, Memphis.

Extremely favorable reports on the week's developments in cotton fields are received from the central states where the supply of moisture from recent rains has been abundant. In Georgia and the Carolinas there are some dry areas, which send in complaints, though as a whole these states have done and are still doing well, and the plant is fruiting splendidly. In Texas and Oklahoma complaints arise more generally from high temperatures than lack of rainfall and it is frequently stated by correspondents that a moderation of the heat will abate such complaints as arise. A limited portion of central Texas and some sections of the west seem in need of rain, but elsewhere in the state there is enough moisture for present needs.

There is universal report of heavy fruiting. Nowhere has the plant attained a rank growth. It is on the contrary stocky and healthy and well loaded with squares and young bolls. It remains undersized in localities but this is a much less general fact than two weeks ago.

The crop is being "laid by" in most excellent condition and is in a state to withstand well the usual summer vicissitudes.

Boll weevils are quite numerous in Mississippi and Louisiana and are doing some damage and hold a threat against the crop for the remainder of the summer. In Texas, however, very little damage is reported save in the most southern districts where cotton is already maturing. In Arkansas they are not yet a factor.

Cotton is beginning to open in southern Georgia and in southern Texas picking will begin over considerable areas within about two weeks.

By States.

North Carolina—Favorable week. Cotton growing and blooming freely. Much still small. Best condition east and southeast. Worst in west.

South Carolina—General rains would be welcome. Local showers have given relief, but not generally. Quite dry in spots. Plant healthy and taking on squares rapidly.

Georgia—State as whole did fairly well during week. Some sections advancing rapidly having had rains. Others dry and complaining. Plant fruiting fast. Quitman reports open bolls. General rain is needed.

Alabama—Crop in high condition and being laid by well. Local rains did not cover state and some sections needing moisture, but not acutely. More weevils in southwest, but doing damage only over limited area.

Mississippi—Only complaint arises from weevils which are numerous over 60 per cent of state area. Plant growing fast and fruiting heavily. Fields in fine cultivation and mois-

ture generally abundant.

Tennessee—Fine crop. Plenty of rain, rapid growth, good fruiting. Soil conditions splendid.

Arkansas—Plant exceptionally well fruited. No rank growth, but healthy and developing well. Soil moisture generally sufficient. Boll weevils not numerous as rule.

Louisiana—Boll weevils plentiful and form basis for only complaint. But despite them, many correspondents estimate crop in excess of last year for other conditions are quite favorable.

Oklahoma—Cotton still splendid, but growing rather less rapidly and shows some effects of extreme high temperatures. Rain not badly needed but would be generally beneficial.

Texas—Some slight loss in condition for week is indicated because of high temperatures and lack of rainfall in central and western counties. North and east doing quite well. Condition remains high, but rain would help materially although cessation of high temperatures has already given much relief. In south cotton is beginning to open rather freely and is shedding some with weevils numerous. Promise is for good crop.

Roger A. Pryor is 85.

New York, July 19.—Judge Roger A. Pryor, former justice of the supreme court of New York and one of the few surviving generals of the Confederate States Army, attained his eighty-fifth birthday anniversary today. Judge Pryor is a native of Virginia and in early life was a congressional representative from that state. At the beginning of the civil war he was elected a member of the first Confederate States Congress.

Later he entered the Southern army as a colonel and rose to the rank of brigadier-general. After the war he located in New York city, where he became one of the noted leaders of the bench and bar.

TO SAVE COUNTRY CHURCH

Manhattan, Kas., July 21.—Many rural pastors, educators and others assembled at the State Agricultural College here today to discuss the important problem of the country church and its future. It is declared there are upwards of 1,000 country churches in Kansas abandoned and deserted because of lack of interest in church work. The problem is one that is common to all of the middle Western States.

The automobile is declared to be chiefly responsible for the decline of the church in the small community. Owing to the coming of the motor car to the farm, distance has become such a small factor that the farmer who owns a machine is tempted to leave the little church in the country and take his family to the larger house of worship in town, where he will hear a pipe organ and a better choir, and where the pews are a little more comfortable. As a result, many rural congregations have dwindled and churches have been deserted.

IDLE WEEK FOR THE FIGHTERS

New York, July 21.—The dullest week the fight game has had in years is in prospect. From one end of the country to the other there is not a fight of any consequence carded for the ensuing seven days. Evidently the promoters think the weather too hot for a profitable show, or perhaps the knights of the squared circle are all on their summer vacations. All the fight clubs in the metropolis have closed their doors and will not resume business until about Labor day.

The Atlantic A. A., where the fight fans may enjoy their favorite sport and the cool breezes of Rockaway Beach at the same time, affords the only oasis in the barren desert. The Atlantic A. A. managers have arranged to give a show tomorrow night with a ten round bout between Billy Bennett, hailed as the lightweight champion of Ireland, and Harry Condon of Brooklyn, as the main event.

NEW SCHOOL DISTRICT

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THE Melting of Molly

By
**MARIA THOMPSON
DAVIESS**

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SYNOPSIS

The teller of the story, Molly Carter, a young widow, awaiting the return of Al Bennett, an old flame, who is now a distinguished diplomat, tries to reduce weight. Her physician, adviser and next door neighbor is Dr. John, a widower and father of young Billy, whom Molly loves.

Molly is surprised at play with Billy by Judge Wade, who is the most dignified and able man in Hillsboro. Billy comes over from next door with his father.

Hillsboro receives a visit from Ruth Chester, a friend of Bennett, and Molly goes to the city for an outfit of clothing.

The subject of the conduct of widows is a serious one. Of all the things old tradition is most set about it is that, and what was decided to be the proper thing a million years ago this town still dictates shall be done and spends a good deal of its time seeing its directions carried out. For a year after the funeral they forget about the poor bereaved, and when they do remember her they speak to and of her in the same tones of voice they used at the obsequies. Then sooner or later some neighbor is sure to see some man walk home from church with her or hear some old bachelor's voice on her front porch. Mr. Cain took Mrs. Caruthers' little Jessie up in his buggy and helped her out at her mother's gate just before last Christmas, and if the poor widow hadn't acted quick the town would have noticed them to death before he proposed to her. They were married the day after New Year's, and she lost lots of good friends because she didn't give them more time to talk at it.

I don't intend to run any risk of losing my friends that way, and I want them to have all the good time they can get out of it. I'm going to serve out mint juleps of excitement until the dear old place is running as it did when it was a two-year-old. Why get mad when people are interested in you? It's a compliment, after all, and just gives them more to think about. I remembered the two trunks across the hall and hugged my knees up under my chin with pleasure at the thought of the town talk they contained.

Then just as I had got the first plan well going and was deciding whether to wear the mauve meteor or the white chiffon with the rosebud embroidery as a first julep for my friends a sweetness came in through my window that took my breath away, and I lay still with my hand over my heart and listened. It was Billy singing right under my window, and I've never heard him do it before in all his five years. It was the dearest old fashioned tune ever written, and Billy sang the words as distinctly as if he had been a boy chorister doing a difficult recitative.



"Say, Molly, look at the snake I brought you!"

My heart beat so it shook the lace on my breast like a breeze from heaven as he took the high note and then let it go on the last few words:

"If you love me, Molly, darling. Let your answer be a kiss."

A confused recollection of having heard the words and tune sung by my mother when I was at the rocking age myself brought the tears to my eyes as I drew to the window and parted the curtains. If you heard a little boy sing along with you at your easement wouldn't you expect a cherubim face upturned with heaven lights all over it? Billy's face was upturned as he heard me draw the shade, but it was streaked like a wild Indian's with decorations of brown mud, and he held a long slim fishhook on the end of a stick while he wiped his other grimy hand down the front of his linen blouse.

"Say, Molly, look at the snake I brought you!" he exclaimed as he came close under the sill, which is not high from the ground. "If you put your face down to the mud and sing something to 'em they'll come out of their holes. A doodlebug comed, too, but I couldn't catch 'em both. Lift me up, and I can put him in the water glass on your table." He held up one muddy paddle to me, and promptly I lifted him up into my arms. From the embrace in which he and the worm and I indulged my lace and dimity came out much the worse.

"That was a lovely song you sang about 'Molly, darling,' Billy," I said. "Where did you hear it?"

"That's a good bug song, Molly, and I bet I can git a lizard with it, too, if I sing it right low." He began to squirm out of my arms toward the table and the glass.

"Who taught it to you, sugar sweet?" I persisted as I poured water in on the squirming worm under his direction.

"Nobody taught it to me. Doc sings it to me when Tilly, nurse nor you ain't there to put me to bed. He don't know no good songs like 'Roll, Jordan, Roll,' or 'Hot Times' or 'Twinkle.' I go to sleep quick 'cause he makes me feel tired with his slow tune what's only good for bugs. Git a hairpin for me to poke him with, Molly, quick!"

I found the hairpin, and I don't know why my hand trembled as I handed it to Billy. As soon as he got it he climbed out the window, glass, bug and all, and I saw him and the red setter go down the garden walk together in pursuit of the desired lizard, I suppose. I closed the blinds and drew the curtains again and flung myself on my pillow. Something warm and sweet seemed to be sweeping over me in great waves, and I felt young and close up to some sort of big world good. It was delicious, and I don't know how long I would have stayed there just feeling it if Judy hadn't brought in my letter.

He had written from London, and it was many pages of wonderful things all flavored with me. He told me about Miss Chester and what good friends they were and how much he hoped she would be in Hillsboro when he got here. He said that a great many of her dainty ways reminded him of his "own slip of a girl," especially the turn of her head like a "flower on its stem." At that I got right out of bed like a jack jumping out of a box and looked at myself in the mirror.

There is one exercise here on page twenty that I hate worst of all. You screw up your face tight until you look like a Christmas mask to get your neck muscles taut and then wobble your head around like a newborn baby until it swims. I did that one twenty extra times and all the others in proportion to make up for those two hours in bed. Hereafter I'll get up at the time directed on page three or maybe earlier. It frightens me to think that I've got only a few weeks more to turn from a cabbage rose into a lily. I won't let myself even think "luscious peach" and "string bean." If I do I get warm and happy all over and let up on myself. I try when I get hungry to think of myself in that blue muslin dress.

I haven't been really willing before to write down in this torture volume that I took that garment to the city with me and what Mme. Rene did to it—made it over into the loveliest thing I ever saw, only I wouldn't let her alter the size one single inch. I'm honorable as all women are, at peculiar times. I think she understood, but she seemed not to and worked a miracle on it with ribbon and lace. I've put it away on the top shelf of a closet, for it is torment to look at it.

You can just take any old recipe for a party and mix up a debut for a girl, but it takes more time to concoct one for a widow, especially if it is for yourself. I spent all the rest of the day doing almost nothing and thinking until I felt lightheaded. Finally I had just about given up any idea of a blaze and had decided to leak out in general society as quietly as my clothes would let me when a real conflagration was lit inside me.

If Tom Pollard wasn't my own first cousin I would have loved him desperately even if I am a week older than he. He was about the only oasis in my marriage mirage, though I don't think anybody would think of calling him at all green. He never stopped coming to see me occasionally, and Mr. Carter liked him. He was the first man to notice the white ruche I sewed in the neck of my old black taffeta four or five months ago, and he let me see that he noticed it out of the corner of his eyes even right there in church under Aunt Adeline's very elbow. He makes love unconsciously, and he flirts with his own mother. As soon as I've made this widowhood hurdle—well, I'm going to spend a lot of time buying tobacco with him in his runabout, which sounds as if it was named for himself.

LEAF SIXTH.

Scattered Jam.

ND when that conflagration was lit in me, Tom did it. I was sitting peacefully on my front steps, dressed in the summer before last that Judy washes and irons every day while I'm deciding how to hand out the first sip of my trouser to the neighbors, when Tom, in a dangerous blue striped shirt, with a that melted into it in tone, blew over my hedge and landed at my side. He kissed the lace ruffle on my sleeve while I reproved him severely and set him down to enjoy him. But I didn't have such an awfully good time as I generally do with him. He was too full of another woman, and even a first cousin can be an exasperation in that condition.

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GERMAN SYSTEM OF CO-OPERATIVE BANKING

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American Commission on Agricultural Co-operation came to Weisbaden

from Heidelberg, where half a day

had been spent visiting typical local

Raiffeisen societies in the neighbor-

ing farming communities. A sub-com-

mittee of the Commission remained in

Heidelberg to attend the meetings of

the convention of Raiffeisen Co-op-

erative officials which began there to-

day.

The first institution visited by the

Commission in Weisbaden was the

Nassau District Mortgage Credit

Bank, a government institution ex-

plaining mortgage loans at cost, prin-

cipally for the benefit of small farm-

ers who predominate in Nassau. It

was the first institution of this type

visited by the commission.

The bank was organized in 1840 by

the government of what was then

the Grand Duchy of Nassau. It has

continued in the mortgage business

ever since and has never lost a dollar

to its bond holders. The method

of business is the same as that fol-

lowed by practically all mortgage insti-</